## IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

## **Listing of Claims:**

- 1-23. (Cancelled)
- 24. (Currently Amended) A method for making a necked laminate comprising:
- a. providing a non-elastic neckable material;
- b. providing a non-elastic film layer;
- c. partially stretching said non-elastic film layer;
- <u>d.</u> e.- attaching said non-elastic neckable material to said non-elastic film <u>layer</u> when said non-elastic film <u>layer</u> is partially stretched to form a laminate; and
- e. d. stretching said laminate in a first dimension to neck said laminate in a dimension perpendicular to said first dimension,

such that striated rugosities are formed in said non-elastic film layer in said first dimension, so that said laminate is extensible and retractable in said dimension perpendicular to said first dimension.

- 25. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 24, further comprising wherein said step of partially stretching said non-elastic film layer prior to formation of the laminate to renders said film layer in the laminate breathable.
- 26. (Original) The method of claim 25, wherein said non-elastic film layer contains from about 20% to about 45% by volume of filler.
- 27. (Original) The method of claim 25, wherein said laminate has a WVTR of at least about 1000 g/m²/24 hours.
  - 28. (Original) The method of claim 24, further comprising heating said laminate.

- 29. (Original) The method of claim 24, wherein said step of attaching comprises adhesive bonding, thermal point bonding, point bonding, or sonic welding.
- 30. (Original) The method of claim 29, wherein said step of attaching comprises adhesive bonding.
- 31. (Original) The method of claim 24, wherein said laminate is stretched to about 1.2 to about 1.6 times its original length.
  - 32-34. (Cancelled)
  - 35. (Currently Amended) A method for making a necked laminate comprising:
  - a. providing a non-elastic neckable material;
  - b. providing a non-elastic film layer;
  - c. partially stretching said non-elastic film layer;
- <u>d.</u> e. attaching said non-elastic neckable material to said non-elastic film <u>layer</u> when said <u>non-elastic film layer is partially stretched</u> to form a laminate; and
- e. d. stretching said laminate in a longitudinal dimension to neck said laminate in a transverse dimension,

such that striated rugosities are formed in said non-elastic film layer in said longitudinal dimension, so that said laminate is extensible and retractable in said transverse dimension.

- 36. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 35, further comprising wherein said step of partially stretching said non-elastic film layer prior to formation of the laminate to renders said film layer in the laminate breathable.
- 37. (Original) The method of claim 35, wherein said non-elastic film layer contains from about 20% to about 45% by volume of filler.

- 38. (Original) The method of claim 35, wherein said laminate has a WVTR of at least about  $1000 \text{ g/m}^2/24$  hours.
  - 39. (Original) The method of claim 35, further comprising heating said laminate.
- 40. (Original) The method of claim 35, wherein said step of attaching comprises adhesive bonding, thermal point bonding, point bonding, or sonic welding.
- 41. (Original) The method of claim 35, wherein said step of attaching comprises adhesive bonding.
- 42. (Original) The method of claim 35, wherein said laminate is stretched to about 1.2 to about 1.6 times its original length.